

# MVPP & MSHARP Application Workshop

## Who Should Attend . . .

This workshop is a must for anyone concerned about health and safety on the job including:

- ▶ Managers concerned about liability and workers' compensation costs.
- ▶ Employees who want to learn proper techniques for protecting their safety and health at work.
- ▶ Business owners who want to learn about compliance with Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Administration (MIOSHA).



# Why You Need This Workshop . . .

- ➤ To reduce disabling injuries and illnesses to employees and to ensure that every worker goes home safe and healthy every day.
- ▶ To reduce the high costs of work-related injuries. Nationally, employers spent an estimated 50.8 billion on wage payments and medical care for workers hurt on the job (*Liberty Mutual Safety Index 2005*). This is only a portion of the total costs of work-related injuries. Indirect costs such as overtime, training, and lost productivity can also burden employers.
- ➤ To enhance your company's bottom line. A strong safety and health commitment not only protects workers, it also reduces workers' compensation costs, improves employee morale, and increases production and quality.



## What You'll Learn . . .

This workshop is for those companies who want to learn how to apply for Michigan Voluntary Protection Program (MVPP) or the Michigan Safety & Health Achievement Recognition Program (MSHARP). These recognition programs are designed especially for high performing worksites with an exemplary history of safety and health diligence. Participants receive information regarding the benefits of participation in these programs such as exemptions from programmed inspections and state/national recognition for their success in Organizational excellence. The application and review process is covered in detail along with the differences in qualification requirements for acceptance in the MVPP and MSHARP.

# **Agenda**

We offer a flexible program agenda to emphasize the safety and health topics you want most.

- Review of MVPP and MSHARP Requirements.
- Injury and Illness Requirements for Participants.
- Elements of an Effective Safety and Health Management System.
- Application and On-site Review Process.

All meetings are accessible and barrier free. Please contact the cosponsor or CET Division, at least two weeks in advance, to request necessary accommodations.

#### Presenters



Barry Simmonds

Barry brought more than 20 years of safety related experience to the CET Division when he joined us in 2004. Barry started out in the United States Air Force as a Fire Protection Specialist. He gained experience in almost every position in the fire department while doing crash/rescue and structural firefighting duties. Barry then transferred to the Air Force Safety Program and was the non-commissioned officer in charge of the 410th Bomb Wing Ground Safety office at K.I. Sawyer AFB. In all of these positions, Barry had extensive safety training responsibilities. After leaving the Air Force, Barry joined the Department of Corrections as a State Certified Fire Inspector. He came to MIOSHA in 1997 as a General Industry Enforcement Officer for the Port Huron area and joined the CET team in 2004. Barry's degrees are in both safety and fire science technology and he is responsible for the Upper Peninsula region.



**Doug Kimmel** 

Doug Kimmel is Michigan's Voluntary Protection (MVPP) Specialist, with over 14 years of safety and health experience. His past positions include: Worker's Compensation Underwriter, Loss Prevention Consultant, and MIOSHA Safety Consultant.

Doug earned a B.S. (Business Management) degree from Ferris State University, is certified in Workers' Compensation Rating, and has successfully completed numerous safety and health training courses. During his time with MIOSHA, Doug has performed hazard surveys and conducted training at both individual companies and conferences. Doug acts as Team Leader on MVPP on-site reviews, which are performed throughout Michigan. He completes reports for the bureau director, recommending the applicant's acceptance as an MVPP company.

#### Program Details

DATE: March 24, 2009

LOCATION: Pioneer Surgical Technology

375 River Park Circle

**Training Room** 

Marquette, Michigan 49855

COST: \$40 per person.

Includes course materials.

TIME: Check-in - 8:00 a.m.

Program - 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

DEADLINE: Register by March 13, 2009

Please register early!

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# How to Register

#### MVPP & MSHARP Application Workshop

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